DISPOSITION: December 17, 1945, and March 12 and 13, 1946. The consignee of the Chicago lots having consented to the entry of decrees, and no claimant having appeared for the Los Angeles lots, judgments of condemnation were entered. The Los Angeles lots were ordered delivered to the California Fish and Game Commission, for use as fish food. The Chicago lots were ordered destroyed, which lots were then converted into fertilizer.

10608. Adulteration of frozen hake fillets. U. S. v. 719 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 18088. Sample Nos. 44403-H to 44406-H, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: November 5, 1945, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 28, 1945, by the Morris Fisheries, Inc., from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 719 boxes of frozen hake filets at Los Angeles, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: (Portion) "Frank Bertolino & Son * * * Gloucester, Mass. PW Hake Fillet," "Cape Cod Fillet Co. New Bedford, Mass. Frosted Hake Fillets," or "Frozen Hake Fillets Packed by Seaview Fish Co. Inc. New Bedford Massachusetts."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: December 7, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a State fish and game commission, for use as fish food.

10609. Adulteration of frozen tullibees. U. S. v. 26 Boxes * * * (and 7 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 19063, 19064, 19070 to 19072, incl., 19083, 19118, 19129. Sample Nos. 15309-H, 19738-H, 19873-H, 19953-H to 19955-H, incl., 19958-H, 19959-H, 19962-H, 19963-H.)

LIBELS FILED: Between February 5 and 13, 1946, District of Minnesota and Eastern District of Wisconsin.

Alleged Shipment: Between the approximate dates of October 27, 1945, and January 15, 1946, by the Manitoba Fisheries, Ltd., from Winnipeg, Canada.

PRODUCT: Frozen tullibees. 26 boxes, containing a total of 2,839 pounds, 148 boxes, each containing approximately 120 pounds, and 50 boxes, each containing 100 pounds, at Duluth, Minn., and 292 boxes at St. Paul, Minn., and 9 boxes at Pensaukee, Wis., each box containing approximately 120 pounds.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitic worms.

DISPOSITION: Between the dates of March 29 and June 24, 1946. The Manitoba Fisheries, Ltd., claimant for 3 of the Duluth lots, having consented to the entry of decrees, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be converted into animal feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. No claimant having appeared for the remaining lots, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered denatured for use as animal feed, or destroyed.

10610. Adulteration of frozen whiting. U. S. v. 1,482 Cartons. (F. D. C. No. 18819. Sample No. 16167-H.)

LIBEL FILED: January 11, 1946, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 6, 1945, by the Commonwealth Ice and Cold Storage Co., from Boston, Mass.

PRODUCT: 1,482 cartons, each containing 20 pounds, of frozen whiting at Chicago, Ill.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a putrid substance.

Disposition: May 24, 1946. The Atlantic Fish and Oyster Co., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for the segre gation of the fit portion from the unfit, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.